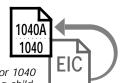
SCHEDULE EIC (Form 1040A or 1040)

Earned Income Credit

Qualifying Child Information



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2002

Attachment Sequence No. 43

Your social security number

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service (99) Complete and attach to Form 1040A or 1040 only if you have a qualifying child.

Name(s) shown on return

Before you begin:

See the instructions for Form 1040A, line 41, or Form 1040, line 64, to make sure that (a) you can take the EIC and (b) you have a qualifying child.



- If you take the EIC even though you are not eligible, you may not be allowed to take the credit for up to 10 years. See back of schedule for details.
- It will take us longer to process your return and issue your refund if you do not fill in all lines that apply for each qualifying child.
 Be sure the child's name on line 1 and social security number (SSN) on line 2 agree with the child's
- Be sure the child's name on line 1 and social security number (SSN) on line 2 agree with the child's social security card. Otherwise, at the time we process your return, we may reduce or disallow your EIC. If the name or SSN on the child's social security card is not correct, call the Social Security Administration at 1-800-772-1213.

Qualifying Child Information		Child 1		Child 2	
1	Child's name If you have more than two qualifying children, you only have to list two to get the maximum credit.	First name	Last name	First name	Last name
2	Child's SSN The child must have an SSN as defined on page 44 of the Form 1040A instructions or page 46 of the Form 1040 instructions unless the child was born and died in 2002. If your child was born and died in 2002 and did not have an SSN, enter "Died" on this line and attach a copy of the child's birth certificate.				
3	Child's year of birth	Year If born after January 1, 1984, skip lines 4a and 4b; go to line 5.		Year If born after January 1, 1984, skip lines 4a and 4b; go to line 5.	
	If the child was born before January 2, 1984— Was the child under age 24 at the end of 2002 and a student?	Yes. Go to line 5.	No. Continue	Yes. Go to line 5.	No. Continue
b	Was the child permanently and totally disabled during any part of 2002?	Yes. Continue	No. The child is not a qualifying child.	Yes. Continue	No. The child is not a qualifying child.
5	Child's relationship to you (for example, son, daughter, grandchild, niece, nephew, foster child, etc.)				
6	Number of months child lived with you in the United States during 2002 If the child lived with you for more than half of 2002 but less than 7 months, enter "7". If the child was born or died in 2002 and your home was the child's home for the entire time he or she was alive during 2002, enter "12".	months Do not enter more than 12 months.		months Do not enter more than 12 months.	



You may also be able to take the additional child tax credit if your child (a) was under age 17 at the end of 2002, (b) is claimed as your dependent on line 6c of Form 1040A or Form 1040, and (c) is a U.S. citizen or resident alien. For more details, see the instructions for line 42 of Form 1040A or line 66 of Form 1040.